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DETAILED ACTION

- 1. The reply filed on 8/18/2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because: applicant failed to address the objection to the oath and declaration as stated on page 2, paragraph # 2 in the previous office action mailed 4/16/2003. Also, newly presented claims 7-12, appears to be not in a proper format as required because claims includes two or more capital letter(s) such as claim 7, lines 2, 3 and 8 include "A" (should be "a" and lines 4, 6 and 7 include "Said" (should be "said") within the claim which is not proper format for the claim language. Since the period for reply set forth in the prior Office action has expired, this application will become abandoned unless applicant corrects the deficiency and obtains an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a).
- 2. The date on which the petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the appropriate extension fee have been filed is the date for purposes of determining the period of extension and the corresponding amount of the fee. In no case may an applicant reply outside the SIX (6) MONTH statutory period or obtain an extension for more than FIVE (5) MONTHS beyond the date for reply set forth in an Office action. A fully responsive reply must be timely filed to avoid abandonment of this application.

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3. Applicant is requested to review all claims and make appropriate correction as required. Examiner has pointed out some example(s) to assist applicant in identifying the informalities present in the application.

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Ramesh B. Patel whose telephone number is 703-308-6673. The examiner can normally be reached on M-Th; 7:00 AM to 5:30 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Anil Khatri can be reached on 703-305-0282. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 872-9306.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-305-3900.

Ramesh B. Patel

Primary Examiner

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September 10, 2003